

**Missouri State Library  
STEM Kits Grants  
Awarded February and March 2023**

The STEM Kits Grant is a short duration grant for public libraries to purchase premade STEM or STEAM kits for their libraries. Most libraries will check out the kits to their patrons and others will use them for programs. Each kit generally comes with an activity, book(s), and items to support the theme, like a microscope. All of these are packaged in an appropriately sized bag to store and carry the components.

The STEM Kits Grants were processed in two groups. Thirteen STEM grant applications were received in the first batch, requesting a total of \$42,622.24 and 13 grants were awarded a total of \$42,257.00. Sixteen STEM grant applications were received in the second group, requesting a total of \$51,241.91 and 16 grants were awarded \$48,803.00. The grant period for group one began February 23, 2023 and Group two began on March 7, 2023.

**Group 1**

| <b>Library Name</b>                   | <b>Project Name</b>                                    | <b>Award</b>       |
|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------|
| Bethany Public Library                | Let's Go STEM  | \$1,262.00         |
| Cass County Public Library            | Cass County Public Library STEM Kits                   | \$2,557.00         |
| Centralia Public Library              | STEM kits to go @ CPL                                  | \$3,553.00         |
| Gentry County Library                 | Let's Celebrate Families! @ Your Gentry County Library | \$2,071.00         |
| Hamilton Public Library               | S.T.E.M. goes home in Hamilton                         | \$3,689.00         |
| Little Dixie                          | Monroe City and STEAM                                  | \$4,000.00         |
| Marion County Library Sub-District #1 | Collaboration STEM Stations                            | \$2,534.00         |
| Mountain View Public Library          | STEM Kits 2023   | \$881.00           |
| Polk County Library                   | STEAM to Go 2023                                       | \$5,735.00         |
| Richmond Heights Memorial Library     | STEM Kits at Richmond Heights Memorial Library!        | \$4,000.00         |
| St. Clair County Library              | SCCL STEAM Kits 2023                                   | \$4,000.00         |
| Valley Park Community Library         | STEAM into Learning                                    | \$4,000.00         |
| Willow Springs Public Library         | Willow Springs Public Library Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead!   | \$3,975.00         |
| <b>Total</b>                          |  | <b>\$42,257.00</b> |

**Group 2**

| <b>Organization Name</b>  | <b>Project Name</b>                                | <b>Award</b> |
|---------------------------|--|--------------|
| Carrollton Public Library | STEAM/STEM kits 2023, learning tools for all ages. | \$4,000.00   |
| Carter County Library     | 2023 STEM Kits Grant                               | \$5,467.00   |
| Cedar County Library      | Full Stem Ahead!                                   | \$6,454.00   |

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| De Soto Public Library         | Preparing Future Generations and Enhancing the Lives of Seniors | \$2,191.00  |
| Dulany Memorial Library        | Youth Enrichment  | \$750.00    |
| Keller Public Library          | New Steam Kits for our Children's Library                       | \$1,801.00  |
| Kirkwood Public Library        | STEAM Ahead - STEAM Learning Kits                               | \$1,799.00  |
| Marceline Carnegie Library     | Marceline Carnegie Library 2023 STEM Kits                       | \$3,958.00  |
| McDonald County Library        | STEM at the Library   | \$4,012.00  |
| Oregon County Library          | Stem Kits for the Future  | \$1,320.00  |
| Park Hills Public Library      | So Many Opportunities to Learn!                                 | \$2,274.00  |
| Putnam County Public Library   | 2023 STEM Kits Grant  | \$4,000.00  |
| Robertson Memorial Library     | STEM Kits for Kids  | \$3,528.00  |
| Rock Hill Public Library       | Rock Hill STEM Literacy   | \$1,942.00  |
| University City Public Library | University City STEAM Kit Expansion                             | \$2,048.00  |
| Maplewood Public Library       | Launching with STEAM Tablets                                    | \$3,259.00  |
| Total                          |   | \$48,803.00 |